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PRESENT: Colonel Giller

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l. Colonel Giller raised the question as to whether there was a desire and seed to hold Staff Meetings and, if so, on what kind of schedule. The general consensus was that Staff Meetings were desirable and that they should be held on a weekly basis, and it was agreed that henceforth Staff Meetings would be held at 11:00 c.m. on Mednesdays.

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S. Colonel Giller observed that he has received so formal or official word conserving the successor to He also reported that has been angaged to Chair the CIA Science Advisory Board. He will also select members and in

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Science Advisory Board. He will also select members and in effect establish a new Fourd as successor to the old Admiral deflores Board. He can expect the to visit around the various offices in the near future as he attempts to acquaint himself more with our activities. It has also been agreed that this new Fourd should have a full-time staff or secretariat. The who's and where's of this staff have not

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yet been decided.

3. Colonel Giller asked for reaction to his proposal that some talks begin between the various ABD people in the several DD/2 units. After some mutual briefings, then he thought

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perhaps some scientific seminars would be developed on important scientific topics. It was his thought that such a procedure and program would be mutually beneficial to our research efforts. The group agreed that the idea was worth pursuing, whereupon Colonel Giller said be would ask , Technical Staff Assistant to the DD/R. to staff out a plan, collaborate with the ale, etc.

4. Colonel Giller maid that many , as Acting AD/80. would also be a member of the Career Service Board. Colonel Giller asked that the ads mave a personal look at applicants at the senior levels, such applicants cannot be evaluated very much below the AD level and furthermore require non-routine handling if there is to be any hope of appealing to senior level caudidates.

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5. Colonel Giller asked that provide him with reports on the status of budget. space and personnel manpower setters.

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reported that the CIA KLIMT Program for 1964 has progressed cuite well and at this point is awaiting concurrence. He also reported that is becoming more resonciled to the proposed Estional ELINT Plan. He also reported that there had been detected recently

No further information concerning this is available at this time.

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There was some discussion of the outcome of the Obs T/O increase and Colonel Ladford observed that he had no alternative but to move about in the acquisition of the mecessary personnel even though it would undoubtedly exceed the approved increase. It was pointed out that the 47 coiling positions that are being allocated to 664 at the expense of 660 are not to be in may way reflected in any T/O change of OAD, and that the T/O will rough as is and recruitment there will continue tatil the cuiling has been resched at which point we have the Emecutive Director's assurance that we will not be handleapped from developing the full strength of the as originally approved.

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naticipated EOD on Homiay, & July, and reminded that OM was to consider him, and that if OSA after discussion with him on a cleared basis felt that he was not needed, he is to be returned to the Office of the OSA for another assignment.

- to the NBO set up and also the matter of mecrotarial assistance. Colonel Ledford advised that he would make specific inquiry as to the particulars in these matters.
- Agency program approval policy has been established and that it provides for apecific arrangements between the Comptroller and each of the Deputy Directors. He also noted that as is standard procedure each office is authorised to counit one traifth of the Congressional indept on a monthly basis until final approval is received.
- certain authoritative statements and briefings for the COMOR Committee which appropriately must come from the ERO but which in practice have not been forthcoming. Particularly medical is some way of forcing action or asserts from the ERO on those matters where the official answer can only come from ERO; i.e., a current need is an authoritative briefing on in capability and operational plans. He had recently learned that a given capability has existed for the past six menths and nothing now is expected for another year; this in spite of the fact that a requirement from COMOR for such a capability has existed for guern such a capability has

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